

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The American Vocational Association has designated the week of February 11-17, 1990, as Vocational Education week; and,

WHEREAS, The Theme for Vocational Education Week is "Vocational Education, It Works!"; and,

WHEREAS, Vocational Education supplies our country with a strong, well trained work force, which enhances America's competitiveness in business and industry in the international marketplace; and,

WHEREAS, Vocational Education allows individuals the opportunity to gain the valuable skills needed today and in the future of a rapidly changing technological work place; and,

WHEREAS, Vocational Education helps both young and old by stressing the importance of life-long learning and the skills needed to advance their educational pursuits; and,

WHEREAS, Vocational Education stimulates the growth and vitality of South Dakota's businesses and industries and those of the entire nation by preparing workers for the occupations forecast to experience the largest and fastest growth in the next decade; and,

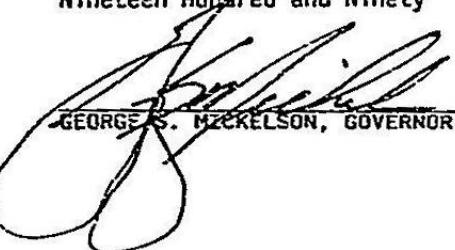
WHEREAS, A strong vocational education program planned and carried out by trained vocational educators is vital to the future economic development of our state and the well-being of its citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 11 through 17, 1990, as

#### VOCATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

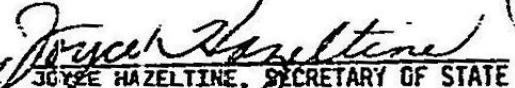
in South Dakota, and urge all citizens to become familiar with the educational services and benefits offered by the vocational education programs in this state and to support and participate in these programs to enhance their individual work skills and productivity.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twelfth Day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety



GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



JOYCE HAZELTINE  
JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE